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C O N F I D E N T I A L TRIPOLI 0589

E.O. 11652: GDS
TAGS: MNUC
SUBJECT: SOVIET BLOC LOBBYING ON NEUTRON BOMB ISSUE

MEMBER OF AN AFRICAN EMBASSY FRIENDLY TO US HAS INFORMED
EMBOFF THAT SOVIET-BLOC EMBASSIES HAVE OVER PAST FEW WEEKS
VISITED SEVERAL AFRO-ASIAN MISSIONS IN TRIPOLI TO PRESENT
ARGUMENTS AGAINST US PRODUCTION OF NEUTRON BOMB. HE SAID
CURRENT LOBBYING IS WELL ORGANIZED AND PERSUASIVE AND
PICTURES US AS UNNECESSARILY INTENSIFYING NUCLEAR ARMS
RACE. SOVIET EMBASSY OFFICERS ARE REPORTEDLY NOT PARTICI-
PATING IN THIS CAMPAIGN, AND INFORMANT SAID HUNGARY APPEARS
TO BE LEADING MOVER IN TRIPOLI DIPLOMATIC CIRCLES. THIS
REPORT COINCIDES WITH APPEARANCE OF SEVERAL NEWS ARTICLES
RECENTLY CONDEMNING NEUTRON BOMB WHICH WE BELIEVE PLANTED
BY SOVIET-BLOC AS ADDITIONAL FACET OF THIS CAMPAIGN.
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